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Jessie K. Rasmussen, Director  
Department of Human Services  
Hoover State Office Building, 5th Floor  
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

Dear Ms. Rasmussen:

I am pleased to inform you that your request for renewal of the home and community-based services waiver for individuals with traumatic brain injury as authorized under section 1915(c) of the Social Security Act has been approved.

Specifically, this renewal of waiver number 0299.90, continues to provide the services of supported community living, respite, personal emergency response systems, case management, supported employment, transportation, adult day health, consumer directed attendant care, home and vehicle modifications, specialized medical equipment, behavioral programming, family counseling and training, and prevocational services.

Based on the additional information you provided, including the deletion of the prior institutional requirement language in accordance with amendment number 02 and corrections to appendix G, I approve the renewal cited above for a 5-year period effective October 1, 1999, as requested by the State. The following estimates of unduplicated recipients and the average per capita cost of waiver services are approved:

Period	Year	Factor C x	Factor D	Total
(10/01/99-6/30/00)	1	172	\$11,656	\$2,004,832
(10/01/00-6/30/01)	2	272	\$12,147	\$3,303,995
(10/01/01-6/30/02)	3	372	\$12,720	\$4,731,911
(10/01/02-6/30/03)	4	472	\$13,335	\$6,294,308
(10/01/03-6/30/04)	5	571	\$14,005	\$7,996,693

The waiver amendment request now conforms to the requirements of the statute and Medicaid regulation. We appreciate the effort and cooperation provided by your staff.

Sincerely,

Joe L. Tilghman  
Regional Administrator

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Waiver Team  
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